

STATE OF VERMONT  
PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD

Docket No. 7270

Joint Petition of Verizon New England, Inc., d/b/a )  
Verizon Vermont, Certain Affiliates Thereof, and )  
FairPoint Communications, Inc. for approval of an )  
asset transfer, acquisition of control by merger and )  
associated transactions )

**PROCEDURAL ORDER RE MOTION TO WITHDRAW**

On April 21, 2009, Sheehy Furlong & Behm P.C., by and through its counsel Peter H. Zamore, Esq., moved to withdraw as counsel for Verizon New England Inc. ("Verizon") in all matters regarding this Docket. Verizon is also represented in this proceeding by Alexander W. Moore, Esq., of Verizon New England Inc. We grant the motion of Sheehy Furlong & Behm P.C. to withdraw.

**SO ORDERED.**

Dated at Montpelier, Vermont, this 18<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2009.

s/James Volz )

) PUBLIC SERVICE

s/David C. Coen )

BOARD

) OF VERMONT

s/John D. Burke )

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FILED: May 18, 2009

ATTEST: s/Susan M. Hudson

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